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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re

U.S. application of:

Ichiro KASAI, Yasushi YANIJIRI and
Hideki NAGATA

For:

HEAD-MOUNTED IMAGE DISPLAY
APPARATUS

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)

PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE), of Application Serial No. 09/615,233, filed on July 13, 2000, by Ichiro KASAI, Yasushi TANIJIRI and Hideki NAGATA, entitled HEAD-MOUNTED IMAGE DISPLAY APPARATUS.

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A Petition for Two-Month Extension of Time, extending the response period to April 27, 2003, is being filed concurrently herewith.

Please enter the Preliminary Amendment, filed concurrently herewith, wherein claims 1, 11 and 13 incorporate new amendments thereto.

A Response Transmittal and Fee Authorization form authorizing the amount of \$1,160.00 (\$750.00 for the filing fee for a Request for Continued Examination (RCE), and the two month extension fee of \$410.00 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(2)), to be charged to Sidley Austin Brown & Wood LLP's Deposit Account No. 18-1260 is enclosed herewith in duplicate. However, if the Response Transmittal and Fee Authorization form is missing, insufficient, or otherwise inadequate, or if a fee, other than the issue fee, is required during the pendency of this application, please charge such fee to Sidley Austin Brown & Wood LLP's Deposit Account No. 18-1260. Please credit any overpayment to Sidley Austin Brown & Wood LLP's Deposit Account No. 18-1260.

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